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For	:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SCENE	)	
		IMAGE ACQUISITION AND SPECTRAL	)	
		ESTIMATION USING A WIDE-BAND	)	
		MULTI-CHANNEL IMAGE CAPTURE	)	

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**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the March 21, 2006, office action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.